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EXAMINING GROUP 3739**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

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PHN 17383

Serial No. 09/548,730

Group Art Unit 3739

Filed: APRIL 13, 2000

Examiner A. FARAH

HAIR-REMOVING DEVICE WITH A CONTROLLABLE LASER SOURCE

Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of ONE (1) month to respond to file a NOTICE OF APPEAL.

Because of this extension the time period for response will expire on SEPTEMBER 21, 2002. Filed herewith is a NOTICE OF APPEAL.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1270 in the amount of \$110.00 the fee for this extension; and charge any additional fees except for the Issue Fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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